

THIS WEEK AT WESTMINSTER

Westminster Prays

Chut Moody	Kalaila Martin	Kathy Day
Lydia Crosby	Beryldean Winter	Elliott Brouner
David Keller	Walter Russell	Bob Bean
Joe Smith	Jan Erickson	Sullivan Bull
Speck Daniels	Dot Daniels	Julia Moody
Patty Snider	Martha Fox	John Linville
Mary Forbes	Terry Hall	Frances McLean
Emily Campbell	Charles Beck	Logan Gause
Johnnie Harvey	Jack Eades	Ryan Roberson
Mable Switzer	Sherry Carder	Jennie Simmerman
Roy Hoffman	Nekedra Lumar	Margaret Giovannone
Sue Johnson	James Ella Collins	Stamper Family
Susie Pell	Kate Pennekamp	Alvin Baxley
Simms Daniels	Daniel Harms	Angie Wasden
Eleanor Grayson	Judy Family	Buck Morris
Jervey Jones		

Prayers of Sympathy and Support are extended to
Carole Russell and family upon the death of her mother, Jane Small.

Serving in the Armed Forces

Jay Gilbert	Baxter Smoak	James Burnley	Robert Georgen
Lauren Smoak	David Ferguson	Andrew Krisel	Edward Stikeleather
Joshua Fincher	Ryan Depew	Tillman Reeves	Mike Cotham
Cameron Motley	Justin Forte	Mike Mann	Sullivan McMahan
Jeremy Rundall	Kevin Griggs	Kyle Dillon	

Friend of the Week

Charles Griffin
998 Lake Hunter Circle, Villa 1
Mt. Pleasant, SC 29464

Church Family

Ann and David Morris
Roberta Morton
Bill and Anna Lee Myers

Mission of the Week

Water Missions International
P.O. Box 71489
North Charleston, SC 29415

College Student of the Week

Alexis E. Friedrichs
1050 Southern Dr. Apt 2102D
Columbia SC 29201

Prayer Request

Please complete and place in the offering plate.

Date _____

Please pray for _____

About _____

Should this request be listed in the bulletin? (permission of individuals required) Yes ___ No ___

Name of person making request _____

Requests ordinarily remain on the prayer list for about a month.

Please keep us updated.

Sunday, November 12

8:45 am	Worship Service
9:45 am	Sunday School WPC 101 Pastor's Office
11:00 am	Worship Service
12:00 pm	Second Sunday Social, Covenant Hall
12:45 pm	Worship Committee, Parlor
1:00 pm	Presbyterian Women, Room 4
5:00 pm	Mid High Youth Group
6:00 pm	Senior High Youth Group
7:00 pm	AA Meeting, Covenant Hall

Monday, November 13

10:00 am	Hooks and Needles, Room 4
7:00 pm	PW Circle 1, Library
7:00 pm	Associate Pastor Nominating Committee, Room 1

Tuesday, November 14

10:00 am	Staff Meeting, Pastor's Office
10:00 am	PW Circle 5, Parlor
12:30 pm	CAP Minister's Lunch, Room 4
7:00 pm	Handbell Choir

Wednesday, November 15

6:00 pm	Wonderful Wednesday Church Family Dinner - Rotisserie Chicken
6:45 pm	Finance Committee, Parlor
7:00 pm	Sanctuary Choir
7:00 pm	AA Meeting, Covenant Hall

Sunday, November 19

8:45 am	Worship Service
9:45 am	Sunday School WPC 101 Class, Pastor's Office
11:00 am	Worship Service
5:00 pm	Deacons Meeting, Room 4
5:00 pm	Mid High Youth Group
6:00 pm	Senior High Youth Group
6:00 pm	Stated Session Meeting, Room 4
7:00 pm	AA Meeting, Covenant Hall

WESTMINSTER SESSION

<u>CLASS OF 2018</u>	<u>CLASS OF 2019</u>	<u>CLASS OF 2020</u>
Lindy Coleman	Ann Froneberger	Robert Coker
Brad Earnst	Nancy Parrish	Eric David
Priscilla Holtzclaw	Rita Livingston	Brenda Haile
Mark Patrick	Henry Shepard	George McAbee
Charlie Powell	Chuck Towne	David Purcell
Carole Russell	John Wright	Sally Rogers

Clerk-Priscilla Holtzclaw

Assistant Clerk - Rita Livingston

Treasurer-Betsy Williams

Assistant Treasurer-Patty Stokes

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Rev. Dr. Daniel L. Smoak, Pastor

Mr. Robin Zemp, Director of Music

Mrs. Janie Bruce, Director of Children and Youth Ministries

Ms. Anne Camburn, Business Administrator

Mrs. Nita Rushton, Office Administrator

Mrs. Alicia Crosby, Preschool Director

Mrs. Pam Smith, Preschool Assistant Director



WESTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

WORSHIP ON THE LORD'S DAY

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

November 12, 2017

11:00 am

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Recognizing Acolytes

Dee Bee Wright

Moment for Stewardship

Kristin Dounian

PRELUDE

Prelude on "Lauda Anima"

JOHN BEHNKE

Handbell Choir

◆CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Choose this day whom you will serve.

All: The Lord is our God, the Lord alone.

Leader: Cry aloud, and call upon God's name.

All: The Lord is our God, the Lord alone.

Leader: Declare God's glory among the nations.

All: The Lord is our God, the Lord alone.

Leader: Sing to the Lord, and bless God's name.

All: The Lord is our God, the Lord alone.

◆INVOCATION

◆HYMN NO. 667

When Morning Gilds the Skies

LAUDES DOMINI

◆PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Jesus, Master,

have mercy on us.

We keep our distance from you,

for we are broken and sick with sin.

Yet you see us and cleanse us and make us whole.

Forgive us when we forget to return to you—

have mercy when we fail to praise your name,

and help us to have the faith that returns to you. Amen.

◆SILENT PRAYER OF CONFESSION

◆ASSURANCE OF GOD'S PARDON

◆GLORIA PATRI

GREATOREX

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.

◆SHARING CHRIST'S PEACE

Leader: May the Peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

Please greet your neighbors with the peace of Christ.

TIME FOR CHILDREN

Dee Bee Wright

ANTHEM If You Search with All Your Heart
Sanctuary Choir

CRAIG COURTNEY

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE LESSON Jeremiah 29:1-14 PEW BIBLE O.T. PAGE 731

Leader: The word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON Yesterday, Today, and Forever

Pastor Daniel

◆HYMN NO. 307 God of Grace and God of Glory CWM RHONDDA

◆AFFIRMATION OF FAITH FROM THE BRIEF STATEMENT OF FAITH (1983)

We trust in God the Holy Spirit, everywhere the giver and renewer of life. The Spirit justifies us by grace through faith, sets us free to accept ourselves and to love God and neighbor, and binds us together with all believers in the one body of Christ, the Church. The same Spirit who inspired the prophets and apostles rules our faith and life in Christ through Scripture, engages us through the Word proclaimed, claims us in the waters of baptism, feeds us with the bread of life and the cup of salvation, and calls women and men to all ministries of the church. In a broken and fearful world the Spirit gives us courage to pray without ceasing, to witness among all peoples to Christ as Lord and Savior, to unmask idolatries in Church and culture, to hear the voices of peoples long silenced, and to work with others for justice, freedom, and peace. In gratitude to God, empowered by the Spirit, we strive to serve Christ in our daily tasks and to live holy and joyful lives, even as we watch for God's new heaven and new earth, praying, "Come, Lord Jesus!" With believers in every time and place, we rejoice that nothing in life or in death can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

◆PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen

GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND PERSONAL COMMITMENTS

OFFERTORY Brethren, We Have Met to Worship SAM BATT OWENS

◆DOXOLOGY OLD HUNDREDTH

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.
Praise Him all creatures here below.
Praise Him above ye heavenly host.
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

◆PRAYER OF DEDICATION

◆HYMN NO. 693 Though I May Speak GIFT OF LOVE

◆BENEDICTION

◆BENEDICTORY RESPONSE
Go, My Children, with My Blessing AR HYDY NOS

◆POSTLUDE Trumpet in Dialogue LOUIS CLERAMBAULT

◆ Those who are able, please stand.

Acolyte Recognition:

Today we give thanks to these young people and their service to the Lord and Church: Robert Dounian, Skylar Frasier, Mattie Housley, Callie Reinecke, Lauren Smoak

Liturgist is Emma Kerr.

Acolytes are Daniel Dounian and Marshall Ward.

Children's Church volunteers are Audra Walters and Amy Smoak

Wee Church volunteers are Ashley and Nathan Snider.

Visitor's Table: Donna Purcell

Welcome to Westminster

We are delighted that you have joined us today and hope you will find a home here. Visitors are encouraged to stop by the welcome table in the narthex for more information about Westminster.

We have wonderful caregivers in our nursery who will lovingly care for your child and will provide you with a pager should they need to contact you. Our ushers can assist you in finding the nursery.

Parents who need to step out of the sanctuary for a while to tend to the needs of infants or small children can find privacy down the hall in the church parlor or in the church nursery.

Worship bags are available for preschool and elementary age children in the narthex.

Hearing devices and large print hymnals are available in the narthex.

For more information about Westminster:

- Check out our website www.westminstercharleston.org
- Plan to attend WPC 101 a three-week information class held quarterly during the Sunday school hour.

STEWARDSHIP AT WESTMINSTER: I CAN DO ALL THINGS THROUGH CHRIST WHO GIVES ME STRENGTH.

PHILIPPIANS 4:13

Because of your faithful commitment to the Lord and to his church, good ministry is happening at Westminster. We're looking forward into the future, knowing that in the strength of the Lord, we can continue to support excellent opportunities for worship, education, fellowship, and outreach. We can do all things in Christ!

In November, we'll take a closer look at what it means to honor God through the use of our time, talents, and money. You'll have the chance to re-examine your commitments and take steps forward in faith. Commitment cards will be mailed out to WPC members, and Commitment Sunday is November 19th. Bring your cards with you to worship (extras will be available) and in the strength of Christ, we'll glorify God together through making our commitments for the coming year.

SECOND SUNDAY SOCIAL

Please join us today in Covenant Hall immediately following the 11:00 worship service for our Second Sunday Social luncheon.

CALLING ALL WOMEN

Please join the Presbyterian Women for fellowship and service, creating stress bags for Mary Ford Elementary School Students. Today, immediately following Second Sunday Social, 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm in Covenant Hall, room 4.

FROM THE WESTMINSTER PULPIT

Today Jeremiah 29:1-14 Yesterday, Today, and Forever

Nov. 19 Philippians 4:13 All Things Through Christ
Stewardship Dedication

Nov. 26 Colin Kerr, guest preacher